

REMARKS

The application has been amended to insert the required reference to the parent applications, for which benefit is claimed, and include subheadings as required by Rule 77.

Claims 27 and 28 have been amended to delete improper preferably clauses and claims 31-33 added to cover the subject matter deleted. In addition, claims 29 and 30 have been cancelled and rewritten as a series of new independent claims 34-39. Finally, claims 1-23, examined in the parent application, have been cancelled.

Examination of claims 24-28 and 31-39 is requested.

Please grant any extensions of time required to enter this paper and charge any additional required fees to our deposit account 06-0916.

Respectfully submitted,

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